ing, the underground garages in Squares 637 and 691 and the tunnels connecting these garages to the House Office Buildings, are hereby declared to be House Office Buildings and, as such, are hereby made subject to those provisions of the Act of July 31, 1946 (40 U.S.C., secs. 193a to 193m, 212a, [212a-2,] and 212b), including any amendments to such Act, which are applicable to the Capitol Buildings, and to the Act of Mar. 4, 1907 (40 U.S.C. 175).

- 2. All other real property acquired by the Architect of the Capitol under authority of the Additional House Office Building Act is hereby declared to be part of the United States Capitol Grounds and is hereby made subject to the Act of July 31, 1946 (40 U.S.C., secs. 193a to 193m, 212a, and 212b), including any amendments to such Act.
- 3. Nothing herein shall be construed to contravene (a) the provisions of Public Law 89–260 authorizing the future use of Squares 732 north and south as a site for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building; or (b) the authority delegated by the House Office Building Commission to the Select House Committee under authority of H. Res. 514, 90th Congress, pertaining to the direction and supervision of the use and operation of the four House Garages and outdoor parking lots.
- 4. This order shall become effective immediately.

HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING COMMISSION

JOHN W. MCCORMACK, Chairman. EMANUEL CELLER, Member. CHARLES E. GOODELL, Member.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 71a, 136, 174b-1, 184a, 193h, 193i, 193k, 193l, 193m, 210, 212a of this title.

§ 193b. Public use of Capitol Grounds

Public travel in and occupancy of said United States Capitol Grounds shall be restricted to the roads, walks, and places prepared for that purpose by flagging, paving, or otherwise.

(July 31, 1946, ch. 707, §2, 60 Stat. 718.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §9-108.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 136, 174b–1, 184a, 193h, 193i, 193j, 193k, 193l, 193m, 212a of this title.

§ 193c. Obstruction of roads; conveyance of goods or merchandise; Capitol Grounds

It is forbidden to occupy the roads in said United States Capitol Grounds in such manner as to obstruct or hinder their proper use, or to use the roads in the area of said United States Capitol Grounds, south of Constitution Avenue and B Street and north of Independence Avenue and B Street, for the conveyance of goods or merchandise, except to or from the Capitol on Government service.

(July 31, 1946, ch. 707, §3, 60 Stat. 718.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §9-109.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 136, 174b–1, 184a, 193h, 193i, 193j, 193k, 193l, 193m, 212a of this title.

§ 193d. Sale of articles; signs; solicitation; Capitol Grounds

It is forbidden to offer or expose any article for sale in said United States Capitol Grounds; to display any sign, placard, or other form of advertisement therein; to solicit fares, alms, subscriptions, or contributions therein.

(July 31, 1946, ch. 707, §4, 60 Stat. 718.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §9–110.

RELOCATION OF VENDORS; TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF PROHIBITION OF SALE OF ARTICLES, ETC.

Pub. L. 96–432, §6(c), Oct. 10, 1980, 94 Stat. 1853, provided that, in order to provide a fair and reasonable transition period in which to permit the orderly relocation of those duly licensed vendors operating, as of Oct. 10, 1980, on those portions of Pennsylvania Avenue Northwest, and Maryland Avenue Southwest, hereby included in the definition of United States Capitol Grounds pursuant to section 1(4) and (5) [of Pub. L. 96–432, set out as a note under section 193a of this title], so much of the prohibitions contained in section 4 of the law of July 31, 1946 (60 Stat. 718) [this section], as would prevent the use of those portions of Pennsylvania Avenue Northwest, and Maryland Avenue Southwest, for the offer and exposure of articles for sale, be suspended for a period not to exceed one year.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 136, 174b–1, 174j-1, 184a, 193h, 193i, 193j, 193k, 193l, 193m, 212a, 1205 of this title; title 2 sections 121b-1, 121c, 121d.

§ 193e. Injuries to property; Capitol Grounds

It is forbidden to step or climb upon, remove, or in any way injure any statue, seat, wall, fountain, or other erection or architectural feature, or any tree, shrub, plant, or turf in said United States Capitol Grounds.

(July 31, 1946, ch. 707, §5, 60 Stat. 718.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §9–111.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 136, 174b–1, 184a, 193h, 193i, 193j, 193k, 193l, 193m, 212a of this title.

§ 193f. Capitol Grounds and Buildings security

(a) Firearms, dangerous weapons, explosives, or incendiary devices

It shall be unlawful for any person or group of persons—

- (1) Except as authorized by regulations which shall be promulgated by the Capitol Police Board:
 - (A) to carry on or have readily accessible to the person of any individual upon the United States Capitol Grounds or within any of the Capitol Buildings any firearm, dangerous weapon, explosive, or incendiary device: or
 - (B) to discharge any firearm or explosive, to use any dangerous weapon, or to ignite any incendiary device, upon the United States Capitol Grounds or within any of the Capitol Buildings; or
 - (C) to transport by any means upon the United States Capitol Grounds or within any of the Capitol Buildings any explosive or incendiary device; or
- (2) Knowingly, with force and violence, to enter or to remain upon the floor of either House of the Congress.